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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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Date of Interview: 18 October 2006.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
 c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1,25 and 38.

Identification of prior art discussed: Sinha et al. (US 6,944,188).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The claim limitation "a redundant communication link established between the remote communication link interface at the node and the redundant communication link interface at the hub" was discussed. Applicant believes the Sinha reference fails to teach the claim limitation. However, Examiner disagrees and believes the claim limitations, as written, are met by the Sinha reference.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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 Examiner's signature, if required